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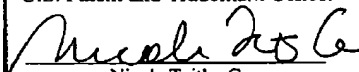
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

This paper is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on January 26, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire April 26, 2005.

Applicant Initiated Interview Summary

Applicant appreciates the telephonic interview conducted on the above-identified application on April 6, 2005 between the undersigned and Examiner Lamarre. The discussion focused on the teachings of U.S. Patent No. 6,623,185 to Peragine. The Remarks presented below are consistent with the discussion conducted during the interview. No agreement was reached.

In light of the Amendments and/or Remarks herein, further examination is requested.